

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application in view of the above amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested. Claims 22-30 have been amended. Claims 1-34 are currently pending in the application.

CLAIM REJECTIONS – 35 U.S.C. §101

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 22-30 under 35 U.S.C. §101 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter. Without any admission as to the veracity of the Examiner's rejection, but rather in the interest of advancing prosecution, Applicants have amended claims 22-30 to replace each instance of "computer readable medium" with "computer readable storage medium", as suggested by the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicants request that this rejection be withdrawn.

ALLOWABLE SUBJECT MATTER

In the Office Action, the Examiner acknowledged that claims 1-21 and 31-34 are allowable. Applicants thank the Examiner for this acknowledgement.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants submit that all of the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly, issuance of a Notice of Allowance is hereby respectfully solicited.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (408) 414-1080 to discuss any issues that may advance prosecution.

No fee is believed to be due specifically in connection with this Reply. To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee that may be due in connection with this Reply to our Deposit Account No. 50-1302.

Respectfully submitted,

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